GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3355
ANSWERED ON:11.12.2001
PROMOTION OF PRIMARY EDUCATION THROUGH WORLD BANK ASSISTANCE
RAMKRISHNA KUSMARIA

Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the World Bank has provided any loan to India for promoting primary education ;

(b) if so, the details thereof alongwith rules and regulations thereof; and

(c) the details of utilization of the said amount of loan during each of the last three years, State-wise ?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (PROF. RITA VERMA)

(a) & (b): IDA credit from the World Bank amounting to Rs. 5137 crores has been tied up for the implementation of the District Primary Education Programme (DPEP) in 211 districts of 16 States namely, Assam, Andhra Pradesh, Kerala, Karnataka, Haryana, Maharashtra, Madhya Pradesh, Chattisgarh, Tamil Nadu, Himachal Pradesh, Orissa, Uttar Pradesh, Uttaranchal, Bihar, Jharkhand and Rajasthan. The above assistance is interest free with commitment charges at the rate of 0.5% (not being charged presently), service charges at the rate of 0.75% and repayment period of 35 years including the grace period of 10 years.

(c): 85% of the project cost is met by the Government of India, which is released as grant to the State Implementation Societies and this amount is reimbursed by the World Bank based on the expenditure incurred. Remaining 15% is shared by the concerned project States. The position regarding the funds released by the Government of India and expenditure incurred by the various project States during the last three years is given in the Annex.

Annex.I

ANNEXREFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (c) OF THE LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3355 ASKED BY RAMKRISHNA KUSMARIA FOR ANSWER ON 11.12.2001 REGARDING `PROMOTION OF PRIMARY EDUCATION THROUGH WORLD BANK ASSISTANCE `

(Rs.in crore)

S. No.	State	Funds Released by GOI			Expenditure		
		1998-99	99-2000	2000-01	1998-99	99-2000	2000-01
1	ANDHRA PRADESH	0.00	226.00	60.00	126.37	106.18	38.20
2	ASSAM	23.00	44.13	35.94	36.99	47.54	51.74
3	BIHAR/JHARKHAND	34.94	24.00	35.00	42.70	45.60	41.56
4	HARYANA	5.00	10.00	35.00	21.66	23.96	44.11
5	HIMACHAL PRADESH	14.76	14.00	15.00	17.35	19.72	21.87
6	KARNATAKA	84.00	34.10	79.00	85.89	80.10	81.62
7	KERALA	26.00	9.00	32.00	29.28	30.32	32.34
8	MADHYA PRADESH/ CHHATISGARH	101.34	100.85	108.46	67.42	69.62	76.90
9	MAHARASHTRA	23.49	39.00	42.00	37.74	45.27	54.13
10	ORISSA	15.00	8.00	33.00	19.80	19.07	30.56
11	RAJASTHAN	0.00	30.50	15.00		2.60	35.64
12	TAMIL NADU	19.19	19.25	32.00	29.35	35.85	38.58
13	UTTAR PRADESH/ UTTARANCHAL	89.00	48.00	220.00	93.77	82.39	231.49
Total		435.72	606.83	742.40	608.32	608.22	778.74

Note: Expenditure in certain years is more than the funds released by the GOI due to utilisation of unspent funds from previous

years and funds available from State share.